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## PETITION TO REVIVE PATENT APPLICATION FOR UNINTENTIONAL FAILURE TO RESPOND TO NOTICE OF MISSING PARTS (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.316 and 1.137(b))

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Hon. Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.316 and 1.137(b), this is a petition for revival of an unintentionally abandoned application. Particularly, a Notice of Missing Parts was mailed by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) on October 4, 2000, in the above-referenced patent application. The missing parts were due on December 4, 2000. The missing parts were unintentionally not submitted. A Notice of Abandonment has not been received.

The following authorizations and statements are provided in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b):

- (1) Authorization to charge the late filing fee to a deposit account is set forth below in Paragraph(4).
- (2) Authorization to charge the petition fee (37 C.F.R. 1.17(m)) is set forth below in Paragraph (4).

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- (3) The entire delay in the filing of the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of this petition was unintentional.
- (4) Fees:
  - a. Payment of the late filing fee required \$ 130.00
  - b. Petition fee (37 C.F.R. 1.17(m)) \$ 1,280.00

TOTAL FEES DUE:

\$1,410.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the total fees due in the amount of \$1,410.00, any deficiencies in the enclosed fees, or credit any overpayment, to <u>Deposit</u> Account No. 01-2384. (A duplicate of this petition is enclosed.)

- (5) Enclosed is a required response to the notice of missing parts including:
  - a. A copy of the Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application;
  - b. An originally signed Declaration;

As set forth above, the delay in responding to the notice of missing parts was unintentional.

Therefore, Applicants respectfully request that the subject application be revived.

Respectfully Submitted,

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